

MRS. WARREN G. HARDING IS DEAD

Assassination of Army Man Arouses England, India

MAJOR GENERAL SIR LEE STACK BOMB VICTIM

Sirder of Egyptian Army Dies from Wounds Received from Assassin.

CAIRO, Nov. 21.—Major General Sir Lee Stack, Sirder of the Egyptian Army, is dead as the result of wounds received by an assassin Wednesday morning.

The nation is shocked at the outrage and tense feeling is reported aroused in London.

The Englishman was riding in an automobile when two bombs were hurled at him and several shots fired. One of the bombs exploded and two pistol shots wounded him in the stomach.

The bomb hurlers have not been captured.

New Submarine Is Turned Over to Navy

NEW LONDON, Conn., Nov. 21.—Submarine S-42 built by the Electric Boat Company for the Navy, the first of six of identical design, has been delivered.

Is Proposing Federal Law Prohibiting Xmas Tree Sale

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—A Federal law to prohibit the sale of Christmas trees is advocated by H. Berry, of Fort Plain, New York, delegate to the National Convention on Utilization of Forest Products.

Battleship Washington Resists Bombardment

NORFOLK, Nov. 21.—The battleship Washington yesterday withstood two bombardments of the Texas 14-inch shells and also attacks from air bombs weighing 1,000 and also 2,000 pounds. The Texas resumed the bombardment today.

Will Resume Work at Tomb of King Tut Soon

LONDON, Nov. 21.—Howard Carter has arrived at Cairo and will within a few days resume work at the tomb of King Tut. This is according to a dispatch to the Daily Mail. Work at the tomb is to be under control of the Antiquities Department of the Egyptian Government.

ANDERSON TO BE RELEASED

CSSHING, N. Y., Nov. 21.—The State Board of Parole has ordered the release from Sing Sing on Christmas Eve of William H. Anderson, former State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League. His release will be three months before the minimum sentence following conviction of third degree forgery.

GERMANS ARE TO ELECT NEW CHANCELLOR IN NEXT MONTH

BERLIN, Nov. 21.—Nine chancellors in six years is the record the German republic has established and as the election of Dec. 7 approaches there is much uncertainty as to what the party alignment will be behind the tenth man to be designated to direct the affairs of republican Germany.

Dr. Wilhelm Marx, the present chancellor, took over the post Dec. 1, 1923, and managed to keep the boat steady during trying times in spite of the fact that he did not represent a majority government. His handling of German affairs in the London Conference which evolved plans for putting the Dawes project into effect, and his success in getting the German Reichstag to

POPE SITS FOR ARTIST AND SCULPTOR.



POPE PIUS POSES

Pope Pius is shown here sitting for his portrait, being done by Professor Palanti, prominent Italian artist, while at the same time posing for a bust by Professor Durig, sculptor, and intimate friend of the famous Rodin. The photograph was made in the Vatican.

PUBLICITY LAW INCOME TAX TO CAUSE TROUBLE

Fight Is Indicated in Next Session of Congress—Senators Line Up.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—The publicity clause of the income tax law promises to be the basis of a lively fight in Congress. Senator Pat Harrison, Democrat, of Mississippi, is to seek a change; Chairman Senator Reed Smoot, Republican, of Utah, is said to be ready to lead a fight against publicity; and Senator George W. Norris, Republican, of Nebraska, author of the clause, is in favor of full publicity.

War Veteran Commits Suicide, Horrible Way

ABERDEEN, Wash., Nov. 21.—Steven Walsh, war veteran, was killed last Friday in a planing machine at Cosmopolis, a suicide by feeding himself into the planer according to a deposition made to the coroner today by a fellow worker.

NOT DEAD; PROVES IT.

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 21.—Hipolito Villa, reported yesterday to have been executed by a firing squad for banditry, has arrived here to confer with the Commandant.

CATTY REMARKS.

CHICAGO, Nov. 21.—"The election of Mrs. Ferguson as Governor of Texas is no victory for woman's suffrage but probably an horrible example," said Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, suffrage leader in a talk today to the delegates of the League of Women Voters. She called Mrs. Ferguson a "boss dominated woman, the Governor-elect of Texas."

accept the agreement reached in the London Conference, were great achievements. But after the adoption of the Dawes plan and the successful floating of the loan of \$200,000,000 abroad for the establishment of a German gold bank to stabilize German currency permanently, domestic politics got so hot that Chancellor Marx was unable to rebuild his cabinet in such a way as to meet with the demands of the various parties at the extreme right and the extreme left. On Oct. 20 he advised the dissolution of the Reichstag that a new election be held to elect a Reichstag which may better represent majority opinion and make

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Happy Ending to Air Fight Staged During World War

OMAHA, Nov. 21.—Two air pilots, a German and an American, fight an air duel in the recent world war over Dijon, France. The American captured the German after the latter had been wounded.

Last night, Baron Hans von Ringhousen, the German pilot, married Mrs. Bertha M. Wendell, sister of Charles Cummings, the American aviator. Mrs. Wendell nursed the German when he was wounded and in the American hospital.

NOME MINER IS JILTED; SEATTLE GIRL SKIPS OUT

SEATTLE, Nov. 21.—Sadder and wiser, George Saccoff, who recently arrived here from Nome with \$2,000 in his pocket, in quest of a bride, plans to return to the north and forget the warrant sworn out for the arrest of winsome Ida Wilkerson, whom Saccoff declares broke his heart and his faith in women.

Saccoff says he met the girl and she seemed a "true friend and very sympathetic." He proposed and was accepted. He gave a dinner party last Sunday and on Monday the marriage was to take place.

Miss Wilkerson appeared to be ready and then asked him to wait a moment before starting for the court house to secure the marriage license. Saccoff waited and then waited some more. Finally he started a quiet search, found the girl had left the apartment. She had with her \$60 of his money, a diamond ring costing \$91 and clothes which he had purchased for her valued at several hundred dollars. He swore out a warrant but now says he does not care whether it is ever served or not.

Alaskan Goes South to Win Wife—Nearly Succeeded—Warrant Issued.

Argentine Flier Is to Resume Flight in Spring

TOKIO, Nov. 21.—Major Pedro Zanni, Argentine world flier, stalled here on his flight, has cabled the Buenos Aires committee he will remain in Japan until Spring, then resume his flight to the United States over the North Pacific route.

Christening of ZR-3 Postponed by Death

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—The christening of the dirigible ZR-3 has been postponed until next Tuesday on account of the death of Mrs. Harding. Mrs. Coolidge will be sponsor at the christening.

COOLIDGE IS NOW WRITING HIS MESSAGE

Recommendations Will Be Made and National Policies to Be Defined.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—President Coolidge has started writing his message to Congress. It is said the message will set forth recommendations for legislative action at the short session starting on December 1. The message is expected to include a definition of the President's position on national problems.

WILL NAME GORE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—President Coolidge expects to appoint Howard M. Gore, as Secretary of Agriculture, until he becomes Governor of West Virginia on March 4. It was stated today at the White House.

WILL NOT ENTER FIGHT

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—The President will take no part in the organization of the House and Senate, believing it the right of members to choose their own leaders and the choice of Congress will be acceptable to him, it is announced.

ON R. R. RATE CUTS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—President Coolidge feels that a reduction of freight rates accompanied through the reduction of operating costs rather than in wages of railroad employees, will be feasible.

LABOR CONTINUES POLITICAL COM.

EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 21.—The American Federation of Labor will continue the nonpartisan political campaign committee for aggressive work and it has been recommended by the Executive Council that increased interest be shown in the primaries and Congressional elections.

"The results in the recent election was a signal of success in the interest of wage earners," says a statement issued by the Executive Council and presented before the delegates attending the American Federation of Labor convention today.

Americans Given Big Coal Lease, Siberia

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—Russian Soviet has promised Americans operating in the Kuzbas district, Kemerovo, Siberia, land 150 by 140 miles containing a coal reserve of at least one hundred and seventy billion tons. This is according to a New York representative now in the Kuzbas.

Chinese in Philippines Are Attacked by Mobs

MANILA, Nov. 21.—Attacks upon Chinese in the Philippine Islands, especially yesterday at Laoag, Capital of Norte Province, were today reported to the Chinese Consul General in the Philippines. A mob broke into the Chinese stores and destroyed considerable property.

THIRTY YEARS FOR ROBBERY

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—Henry Behan, convicted of robbing Mrs. Howard Johnson of \$6,000 in gems here last May, was today sentenced to 30 years in Sing Sing.

Assistant District Attorney Garrison announced he received information Behan was with Miss Louise Lawson six hours before she was strangled to death in her fashionable apartment last winter but the police were unable to connect Behan with the killing.

PARIS, Nov. 21.—Finance Minister Clementel has arranged with the Morgan interests for a loan to France of \$100,000,000 at 7 per cent.

DEATH COMES TO MRS. W. G. HARDING.



Wife of former President of the United States, who passed away in Marion, Ohio, this forenoon after having been at the point of death for the past 10 days. Mrs. Harding visited Juneau with her husband and other members of the Presidential Party in July, 1923, and will be remembered by her gentle mannerisms by scores who met her at the Governor's Mansion during the 24 hour stay in this city. Of the eight members constituting the Presidential Party visiting Alaska in 1923, five have passed away since the occasion.

Fishing Companies Promise Support to Halibut Closing

SEATTLE, Nov. 21.—Officials of the leading fishing companies on the coast have assured the members of the International Fisheries Commission full cooperation in preserving the halibut beds. Exhaustive research into halibut life, best methods of preserving the beds and most effective time for closed seasons on the western coast of the United States and Canada, will be conducted by W. F. Thompson, fish expert, the members of the Fisheries Commission announce.

WILBUR NOT TO RESIGN OFFICE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—Secretary of Navy Wilbur does not intend to resign according to a statement made today. It was reported he has been offered a Federal judgeship in California.

American Engineers Start Rebuilding Jap Bridges

TOKIO, Nov. 21.—An American company has obtained the contract for two of the most important pieces of engineering in the Tokyo reconstruction program. The Foundation Company of New York will build the foundations for two bridges over the Sumida River which will replace those destroyed in the earthquake of 1923. These are the Eita and Yiyosu bridges. The contract amounts to about \$2,000,000. It calls for the foundations to start 80 feet under water, work being done by the compressed air diving system. L. R. Craft and N. Englander, New York engineers, are in Tokio to superintend the work, which is expected to take about three years. Japanese engineers estimate that with their methods it would require six years.

\$100,000 Worth of Liquor Seized in N. Y.

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—Liquor valued at \$106,000 was seized this afternoon in a raid on a 6-story building on Washington Street. Izzy Einstein and Moe Smith led the raiders.

WIFE OF FORMER PRESIDENT DIES IN MARION TODAY

Mrs. Harding Passes Away Peacefully After Hard Fight of Weeks.

MARION, Ohio, Nov. 21.—Mrs. Florence Kling Harding died at 8:55 o'clock this morning at the White Oaks Sanitarium where she has been fighting for life for several weeks.

Death was due to chronic nephritis with myo-cardial and hydro-nephrosis, according to Dr. Sawyer.

Mrs. Harding passed away peacefully.

The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at the Epworth Episcopal Church. Rev. Jesse Swank, who conducted the funeral services of the late President Harding, will have charge of Mrs. Harding's services.

The body will be placed temporarily in the vault in Marion cemetery beside that of Mr. Harding.

CAUSES DEEP SORROW.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—The death of Mrs. Harding caused deep sorrow in the Capital. President Coolidge and other Government dignitaries joined in expressions of grief.

The White House flag is at half staff and will remain so until after the funeral.

Secretary Weeks and Secretary Work will represent President Coolidge at the funeral services in Marion.

Life Story

The life story of Florence Kling Harding, like an epic of sturdy American womanhood, was a chronicle of continual struggle against great odds, and of continual accomplishments.

From the day she first faced the world in a pioneer home in the middle west, until, broken in health, she undertook the heavy responsibilities of the White House, she encountered hardships before which a less courageous spirit would have weakened into drab mediocrity.

Despite these trials she not only kept her courage and her vigorous individuality, but she retained as well a depth of human understanding and a confidence in herself and those about her that endeared her to many thousands. After she became First Lady of the Land, as always in the years preceding, the helpless and the unfortunate received the first and fullest measure of her devotion. Children of every class had her unfailing attention. Wounded veterans of the World War and her many a debt for hours gladdened by her visits to their hospitals or by flowers sent by her personal order from the White House conservatories. Her unusual outpouring of sympathy extended to animals, many of whom she befriended and protected.

Loyal to Friends

In her thoughtfulness for the interests of others and in her loyalty to her friends, she was outspoken to a degree that won for her recognition as one of the most vigorous-minded women who ever presided over the household of a President. On the night of election day in 1920 she announced her devotion to the Republican party.

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PROPER DEFENSE TO BE DEMANDED

Commander of American Legion Outlines Policy Before Labor.

EL PASO, Texas, Nov. 21.—Adequate defense forces both on land and sea, and in the air, will be demanded by the American Legion "until the lasting International concord is established on principles of justice," declared National Commander James A. Drain, of the American Legion, in a speech today before the members of the American Federation of Labor convention.

San Francisco Cocktail Man Is Under Arrest

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 21.—Vincent Quarataro, President of the Bohemian Cocktail Supply Company, has been arrested for violation of the prohibition law. He was indicted with 59 others by the Federal Grand Jury as the result of the Canadian rum running conspiracy.

Another Man Killed In Chicago Gang War

CHICAGO, Nov. 21.—Shooting to death last night of Tony Manchuso and the wounding of Michael Mikovich is attributed by the police to the latest outbreak of the gangster war.

ROADSIDE FARMERS BREED HENS WISE TO AUTOMOBILES

BLOOMSBURG, Pa., Nov. 21.—Although the reason a chicken crosses the road never has been settled to the satisfaction of everyone, the fact that most fowls attempt to get on the other side of the highway is responsible for thousands of dollars loss to farmers in this part of the state, and many other sections.

"Automobile mortality" is one of the chief sources of loss to poultrymen. It is declared, and two protective steps are being taken. One is the removal of the chicken pens to points far distant from the road, and the other the breeding of birds that have shown, under

observation, a readiness to stay on their own side of the road when an automobile comes along.

Tests made with nearly 100 flocks of a certain breed revealed that a half dozen chickens which went across the road. With other breeds there were less than a half dozen of entire flocks along the road which did not try to cross. Some of the farmers are not slow to realize the difference and are turning to those breeds which "stay put" and avoid the losses.

On farms along main highways the losses to flocks from motor cars has been as high as 25 per cent. In some cases a single passing automobile has killed four chickens.